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TAGS: PFOR UR IT
SUBJECT: AGENDA FOR VISIT OF ITALIAN FOREIGN MINISTER FORLANI
TO USSR JANUARY 10-13, 1977

1. DURING AMBASSADOR'S INITIAL CALL ON ITALIAN
AMBASSADOR ENRICO AILLAUD JANUARY 7, AILLAUD BRIEFED
HIM ON UPCOMING VISIT OF FOREIGN MINISTER FORLANI TO
MOSCOW. FORLANI AND HIS WIFE ARRIVE JANUARY 10 FOR
A TWO-DAY OFFICIAL STAY IN THE CAPITAL, FOLLOWED BY
TWO MORE DAYS TOURING LENINGRAD. FORLANI'S VISIT IS IN
RETURN FOR GROMYKO'S VISIT TO ROME OVER ONE YEAR AGON
AND IS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE ITALO-SOVIET ARRANGE-
MENT FOR YEARLY CONSULTATIVE MEETINGS AT THE FOREIGN
MINISTER LEVEL -- SIMILAR TO BRITISH AND FRENCH
ARRANGEMENTS WITH THE SOVIETS. THIS IS THE 1976
MEETING WHICH SLIPPED OVER INTO 1977.

2. ACCORDING TO AILLAUD, THE FOLLOWING IS THE
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AGENDA WORKED OUT IN DIPLOMATIC CHANNELS:
(A) DISARMAMENT;
(B) THE BREZHNEV PROPOSAL FOR CONFERENCES ON ENERGY,
TRANSPORTATION AND ENVIRONMENT:
(C) CREDITS -- WITH THE ITALIANS APPARENTLY PREPARED TO
ACCOMMODATE THE SOVIET DESIRE FOR LOW INTEREST LOANS
FOR THE PURCHASE OF ITALIAN EQUIPMENT (WHICH AILLAUD

POINTED OUT THE ITALIANS FEEL IS BASICALLY IN THEIR
NET INTEREST SINCE IT PROVIDES EMPLOYMENT IN THEIR
FACTORIES);

(D) THE BELGRADE REVIEW CONFERENCE -- WITH THE SOVIETS
TAKING THE POSITION THAT THE CONFERENCE SHOULD BE BRIEF,
AT NO HIGHER THAN THE DEPUTY MINISTER LEVEL, NOT A BOOK-
KEEPING EXERCISE AND WITH BOTH SIDES LOOKING TO THE
FUTURE RATHER THAN EXCORIATING EACH OTHER FOR THE PAST
INADEQUACIES.
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